

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Tariff Filing of FDF)	
Communications Co. d/b/a BPS Long Distance to)	<u>Case No. XT-2005-0408</u>
Add a Missouri Universal Service Fund Surcharge)	Tariff No. YX-2005-0987

ORDER APPROVING UNCONTESTED EXPEDITED TARIFF

Issue Date: May 18, 2005

Effective Date: May 20, 2005

On May 11, 2005, FDF Communications Company d/b/a BPS Long Distance filed a motion for expedited treatment regarding a tariff that it filed along with its motion. The motion explained that its tariff will authorize it to collect a Missouri Universal Service Fund surcharge from its customers. The Commission has allowed companies such as BPS Long Distance to begin billing such a surcharge beginning on May 1, 2005. The motion indicates that BPS Long Distance did not file its tariff to implement the surcharge earlier because of an error by its counsel. The tariff indicates that it will become effective on June 10, but BPS Long Distance requested that the Commission approve the tariff to become effective as quickly as possible.

The Commission's Staff filed a recommendation regarding the proposed tariff on May 17. Staff recommends that the Commission grant BPS Long Distance's request for expedited treatment and approve the tariff at the Commission's earliest convenience.

Based on the recommendation of its Staff, the Commission will approve the submitted tariff on an expedited basis.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the following tariff sheet filed May 11, 2005, and assigned Tariff No. YX-2005-0987, is approved to become effective on May 20, 2005:

P.S.C. Mo. No. 1
Original Sheet No. 31.1

2. That this order shall become effective on May 20, 2005.
3. That this case may be closed on May 23, 2005.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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Morris L. Woodruff, Senior Regulatory Law
Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 18th day of May, 2005.